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PATENT  
Docket No. GC743-2-US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	)	
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Soucaille et al.	)	Group Art Unit: Unassigned
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Serial No.: 10/511,043	)	Examiner: Unassigned
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Filed: October 12, 2004	)	
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For: Method of Creating a Library of Bacterial	)	
Clones with Varying Levels of Gene	)	
Expression	)	

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

MS Missing Parts  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to considering the above-identified application on the merits, please enter the following amendment to the specification.

**In the Specification:**

Please place the enclosed text entitled "Sequence Listing" after the abstract.